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Title: PRINTED MATTER PRODUCING REFLECTIVE INTAGLIO EFFECT

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

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TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

In the Claims:

Please cancel Claims 1, 3, 5, 6, 15, 16, and 34-40. ✓ / / / / / / /

Please amend Claims 2, 4, 17, 22, and 41; and add new Claims 42-45 as shown below:

2. (Amended) The document of Claim 4, wherein the raised print image is produced by an intaglio printing process.

4. (Twice Amended) A printed document or other device comprising a substrate to which printed matter is applied, wherein said substrate is a plastics film capable of use to form a banknote, said substrate having a first side and a second side, a reflective or brightly coloured print layer which is printed onto one side of the substrate without embossment, said reflective or brightly coloured print layer being printed over an opaque ink layer applied to one side of said substrate, and a raised print image printed to said reflective or brightly coloured layer by a printing process, at least part of said raised print image having a height of at least 5µm and being visible from all angles of the document, said raised print image being enhanced by said reflective or brightly coloured print layer when viewed at different angles and under different lighting conditions.

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